

By the President of the United States  
JAMES K. POLK

**TRANSPORTATION OFFICE,**  
Baltimore and Ohio Railroad Company.

Washington Branch, 14th Nov. 1844.

In consequence of the adoption of a new schedule by the Post Office Department, the following changes in the running of the trains on this road will go into effect this day, viz:

The train that has hitherto left this city at 4 p. m. will hereafter leave at 2 o'clock p. m., and the train that has heretofore started from Baltimore at 2 o'clock, a. m. will now leave on the arrival of the Philadelphia cars at 3 o'clock, a. m.

A corresponding change having been made on the Philadelphia road, passengers leaving this city at 5 p. m. will connect, as heretofore, with the cars for Philadelphia—the departure of which from Baltimore has been fixed at 8 o'clock, p. m.

By order of  
**SAMUEL STETTINIUS, Agent.**

November 14

**T. W. & R. C. SMITH,** Wolf street, Alexandria, D. C., Machinists, Iron, Brass, and Bell Founders, manufacturers—

High and low pressure steam engines and boilers  
Machinery, iron castings, brass castings.  
Wrought iron work of every description.  
Cast iron pumps for wells, cisterns, and other purposes, from 10 pounds to 5,000 pounds weight, and fine tone.  
Ornamental railing for areas, cemetery lots, &c., both of cast and wrought iron, and of a great variety of pattern.

They are prepared to execute orders in the best manner, with promptness, and at as low rates as can be done by any other establishment in the country.

Communications by mail or otherwise, will meet with immediate attention.

**T. W. & R. C. Smith** have at all times for sale  
plow castings, or a variety of agricultural patterns.  
Horse powers and threshing machines.  
Corn shellers and fan castings.  
Soda pumps.  
Letter copying presses.  
Cast iron pumps for wells, cisterns, &c.  
Spout ends, turn buckles, wash weights.  
Grate fronts, mantel plates.  
Rails for sliding doors, and a variety of other articles for builders' use.  
Cast iron window sills, being a better and cheaper article than stone.  
Fine brick made from an imported fire clay.

Feb 4—1y

**UNITED STATES AND FOREIGN AGENCY,**  
AT WASHINGTON CITY, D. C.

Office on 12th street, between Pennsylvania avenue and F street, known as King's Gallery.

**THE UNDESIGNED,** having opened the office for the transaction of domestic and foreign agencies, invite the public attention to the following prospectus:

They will attend to the purchase, sale, or exchange of lands and real estate generally, in all parts of the United States, Texas, or the West Indies.

To the formation of companies here, or in Europe, for the sale or purchase of lands, or colonizing lands in Texas or the United States; or the sale, purchase, or exchange of the same, to, by, or with individuals in this country or in Europe.

The purchase or sale of United States or State stocks, or any kind of public securities.

Negotiating loans on bonds and mortgages, or other securities.

Prosecution of claims on the government of the United States for lands or money, before either of its executive departments or Congress.

Obtaining a remission of the duties on forfeitures incurred for alleged violations of the revenue or other laws.

Securing patents, and transacting any business with the Patent Office.

Conducting every revolutionary, army, or navy, and doing any other business connected therewith.

Settlement of accounts with the State, Treasury, War, Navy, and Post Office Departments.

Collecting private claims and interest on the public debt.

Prosecuting claims before the various boards of Indian commissioners, or any boards hereafter established under treaties with foreign powers.

Facilitating every application for admission to Congress and the executive departments.

One of the firm of this agency will visit Europe and the other Texas in a few weeks, either of whom you may employ as your business that may be confided to his care. Their numerous European correspondents, and those in Texas, afford them immediate facilities for the transaction of any agency abroad committed to their charge.

Persons desiring to emigrate to Texas, and disposing of their estates in exchange for lands in that country, or those wishing to make investments there, may find it greatly to their advantage to apply to this agency.

Persons being anxious to employ counsel in cases before the Supreme Court of the United States, may confide their business advantageously to this agency, who will secure the services of the most respectable and experienced counsel, in cases where the selection is left to themselves.

Long experience in business, and intimate professional knowledge of forms necessary to be accepted, qualify the subscribers to perform any trust reposed in their care in the most efficient and expeditious manner. Persons living at a distance can avail themselves of this agency, with the certainty of having their business efficiently attended to, without the trouble and expense of a journey to the city.

Charges will be moderate, and commensurate with the nature of the business. Letters of inquiry merely will be answered without charge; but, in all cases, letters must be post-paid.

**KINGMAN & CO.**

Washington, Dec 15, 1844.

**REFERENCES.**

Hon. George Evans, Maine.  
" Sheppard Cary, do.  
" Levi Woodbury, New Hampshire.  
" Daniel Webster, Boston.  
Chas. W. Cartwright, esq., do.  
Messrs. Goale & Co., do.  
Hon. F. Van Ness, collector, New York.  
Hon. Edward Curtis, do.  
" Aaron Ward, do.  
" Wm. A. Moseley, do.  
James B. Murray, esq., do.  
Hon. James Buchanan, Pennsylvania.  
" Wm. Forward, do.  
" Judge Campbell, Philadelphia, Pa.  
" Calvin Blythe, collector, do.  
Jas. Hoy Jr., esq., postmaster, do.  
P. R. Tyson, esq., do.  
Hon. W. Wall, esq., U. S. Dist. Attorney, Pa.  
Commodore Stewart, New Jersey.  
Hon. Wm. Cost Johnson, Maryland.  
Z. Collins Lee, esq., U. S. Dist. Atty., Baltimore.  
Hon. Hugh A. Garland, Petersburg, Virginia.  
Hon. John C. Holmes, Charleston, South Carolina.  
Richard Yeaton, esq., do.  
Hon. Ephraim H. Foster, Tennessee.  
" Dixon H. Lewis, Alabama.  
" D. L. Clinch, do.  
" Thos. B. King, do.  
" Alexander Barrow, Louisiana.  
" Samuel Houston, Texas.  
Gen. M. B. Loner, do.  
Gen. Benjamin Harris, do.  
Hon. D. G. Burnett, do.  
Jonas Butler, esq., do.  
Frost Thron, esq., do.

**LOOK HERE.**—Persons suffering from colds, coughs, &c., can be supplied with  
Pease's Heartbound Candy,  
Brody's Balm,  
McCully's Srup of May Apple and Wild Cherry,  
Swayne's Srup of Wild Cherry,  
Wayne's Tonic Elixerant,  
Covert's Balm of Life,  
Thompson's Life-preserver,  
Wistat's Cough Lozenges,  
Sherman's Cough Lozenges,  
Peterson's Cough Lozenges,  
by calling on **C. H. JAMES,**  
corner of 14th and E streets.

Where, may also be found a full and general assortment of  
Articled Brushes, Combs, &c.; all which will be sold low for cash, or to punctual customers.

Dec. 18

**500 GROSS METALLIC PENS.**—**W. FISCHER,** Importer, of Fancy and Simple Stationary, has just received, directly from the manufacturers, J. Perry & Co., Gilott, and Wm. die, the largest and most extensive variety of metallic pens (many of which are entirely new) that has ever been offered for sale in the country. Dealers in steel pens can purchase the article at the lowest New York prices at Stationers' Hall.

Dec. 17

**COLORED CANTON MATTINGS.**—We have just received 30 pieces colored Canton mattings of superior quality, 4-4 g. wide, just arrived from Canton.

**D. CLAGETT & CO.**